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11. (C) Ministry of Petroleum (MinPet) Public Relations Head Dr. Ibrahim Al Muhanna informed us late on June 11 that the proposed oil meeting would be held on June 22 in Jeddah. He pressed hard for U.S. attendance, saying, "We're doing this for you guys." Assistant Minister of Petroleum Prince Abdulaziz bin Salman bin Abdulaziz Al-Saud has informed us that King Abdullah will open the meeting, and British Prime Minister Gordon Brown will also be in attendance.

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